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**PATENT APPLICATION**

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**ASSIGNEE NAME:** International Business  
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**TITLE:** Method and Apparatus for Preconditioning Mobile  
Devices for Network and Other Operations

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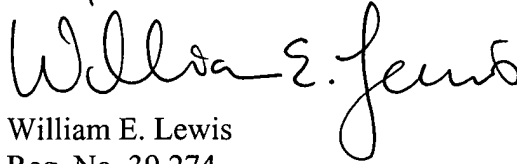
Application - 19 pages of Specification, 6 pages of Claims and 1 page of Abstract  
4 Sheets of informal drawing(s)  
Declaration (unexecuted)

CLAIMS AS FILED				
	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	RATE	CALCULATIONS
Total Claims	33-20 =	13	x \$18 =	\$234
Independent Claims	7-3 =	4	x \$86 =	\$344
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if applicable			\$290 =	\$0
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<b>TOTAL FEE:</b>				<b>\$1348</b>

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